

**NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS  
ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATION  
115**

**DEPARTMENTAL TOBACCO PRODUCT PROHIBITIONS**

**Supersedes:** AR 115 (Temporary, 06/21/12)

**Effective Date:** October 15, 2012

**AUTHORITY:** NRS 209.131; NRS 212.140

**RESPONSIBILITY**

Supervisors are responsible for enforcing the requirements of this regulation.

All persons, including, but not limited to staff, volunteers, guests, visitors and vendors are responsible to have knowledge of, and comply with this regulation.

**115.01 USE AND POSSESSION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS**

1. The use and/or possession of any tobacco products on Department grounds, buildings, or state vehicles is prohibited. The possession, but not use, in personal vehicles will be allowed.
2. Sales of any tobacco products are prohibited.
3. Inmates working at outside facilities or for other agencies must comply with NDOC restrictions with use of tobacco products for inmates.
4. Violation of the Department's tobacco products prohibition may result in disciplinary action.
  - A. Inmates are subject to AR 707, Inmate Disciplinary Process.
  - B. Departmental staff are subject to discipline pursuant to AR 339.
  - C. Guests or visitors are subject to restricted access to institutions and facilities.
  - D. Other agencies are subject to restricted access to inmate labor.

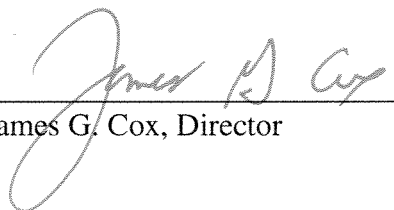
**115.02 ELECTRONIC SMOKING DEVICES**

1. The use and/or possession of any non-tobacco electronic smoking device (i.e., electronic cigarettes, etc) on Department grounds, buildings, or state vehicles is prohibited. The possession, but not use, in personal vehicles will be allowed.

2. Sales of these electronic smoking devices are prohibited.
3. Inmates working at outside facilities or for other agencies must comply with NDOC restrictions with use of electronic smoking products for inmates.
4. Violation of the Department's electronic smoking products prohibition may result in disciplinary action.
  - A. Inmates are subject to AR 707, Inmate Disciplinary Process.
  - B. Departmental staff are subject to discipline pursuant to AR 339.
  - C. Guests or visitors are subject to restricted access to institutions and facilities.
  - D. Other agencies are subject to restricted access to inmate labor.

#### **APPLICABILITY**

1. This regulation requires an operational procedure.
2. This Administrative Regulation does not require an audit.

  
James G. Cox, Director

  
Date